



Award Revocation Request

AAAS considers many interests when determining who should receive one of its highly esteemed awards or prizes. Professional and ethical conduct are important such interests. When AAAS grants an award, the award reflects AAAS' judgment that an individual's contributions to, and effect on, the STEMM enterprise are exemplary. AAAS takes into account the effect on the enterprise of the totality of the individual's work, including professional and ethical conduct and reputation. It expects those who hold awards to demonstrate that participation in and recognition by the community are privileges, and that the community's leaders, and others it celebrates, embody highly professional and ethical conduct in their work.

In the rare case where an Awardee no longer meets this expectation, AAAS will, in its sole discretion, consider rescinding the award in cases of proven scientific misconduct, serious breaches of professional ethics, or when the awardee in the view of AAAS otherwise no longer upholds the ethics and standards agreed upon before conference of the award.

Please read the policy and FAQs for the requirements necessary to submit a revocation request. Only AAAS members may submit a request. To check the status of your membership or obtain your member number, please call 1-866-434-AAAS (2227). **The identity of the submitter will remain confidential from the Awardee in question.**

Please complete all fields and submit via email to awardinquiry@aaas.org. All other questions should also be sent to awardinquiry@aaas.org.

Submitter's Name:

Member Number:

Email:

Name of Awardee:

Institution of Awardee:

A request for revocation of an Award must include an investigative report that documents findings, sanctions, or actions taken from an independent organization or agency. Alternatively, a public announcement of the information in a report, or actions that have been taken, may be submitted. Media reports alone may not be sufficient to support a revocation request. AAAS will only consider requests for revocation filed within four years of publication of the report or announcement of the finding, sanction, or action (a clause that is waived through April 23, 2023), and will not consider requests when the Awardee is deceased.

Investigative report /public announcement of actions taken:

(Please include attachments or links to reports or announcements)

Please be aware that any comments you share here will be provided to the Board of Directors as they consider therequest, and will also be provided to the Awardee, should the request proceed to revocation panel review stage. **The requester's name will never be shared with the Board or the Awardee, but please be cautious of including any identifying information about yourself or others.**

Additional comments (optional):

I agree to maintain confidentiality of this matter until its conclusion